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Sir:

Under the guidelines of 37 C.F.R. 1.97, Applicants submit the following statement under §1.97(e):

I, Mark A. Winter, hereby state that no item of information in the Information Disclosure Statement filed herewith was cited in a communication from a foreign patent office in a counterpart foreign application, and, to my knowledge after making reasonable inquiry, no item of information contained in this Information Disclosure Statement was known to any individual designated in 37 CFR 1.56(c) more than 3 months prior to the filing of this Information Disclosure Statement.

Applicants request consideration of this information.

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